

# Botanical Tulips

## Ideal for Rock Garden Planting

**CLUSIANA.** The "Little Lady" Tulip. A lovely little variety with flowers as large as a Crocus. Outer petals cherry-red, inner petals white with violet base. Should be planted 8 to 9 inches deep in light soils in a sheltered place. Height 12 inches. 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.50; 100 for \$12.75

**DASYSTEMON.** Flowering in early April, they are very charming. The flowers, yellow in color, marked white, are produced freely, several blooms to each plant. Height 6 inches.

10 for \$1.80; 25 for \$4.25; 100 for \$15.75

**EICHLERI.** This splendid Tulip from Turkestan produces large crimson-scarlet flowers with a glistening black center marked with gold. Height 12 inches.

10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.75; 100 for \$9.75

**KAUFMANNIANA.** One of the earliest of all the Tulips to come in flower. Creamy white, tinged rosy red, the markings varying. The flowers are very attractive, large in size, with petals reflexing. Sometimes called the "Water-Lily Tulip" from the resemblance of the partially opened flowers to those of the Nymphaeas. A splendid Tulip in every way for outdoor planting or indoor growing. Blooms outdoors in early April. Height 8 inches.

10 for \$2.30; 25 for \$5.50; 100 for \$19.50

**MARJOLETTI.** Pale yellow, mottled toward the outer petals with scarlet. A lovely species which blooms outdoors during late April. Height 14 inches.

10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.75; 100 for \$9.75



KAUFMANNIANA



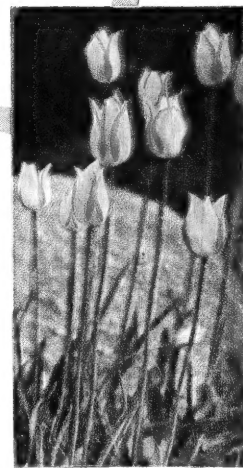
DASYSTEMON



CLUSIANA



EICHLERI



MARJOLETTI

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Special Rock Garden Collection Of Botanical Tulips

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GROUP T 31	50 Bulbs—10 of each variety	Value \$8.00.	Save \$1.40.	\$6.60
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In this folder you will see not only the older favorites but some of the newest and most unusual varieties ever offered. You will see giant Tulips, spring Crocus, fragrant Hyacinths, Trumpet Daffodils, Dutch Iris, Hybrid Lilies and many of the best variety of rock garden bulbs. Each and every bulb is backed by the Jackson & Perkins guarantee, to give you the best bulbs available. So order all you want, with confidence that every bulb will bloom true-to-name, sturdy, free from disease, or it will be replaced without charge. We are proud of our reputation and will always handle quality bulbs.

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# NEW!

# Orange Parrot

At last here is an outstanding new orange Parrot Tulip. For years the Dutch bulb growers have been breeding to get a large orange Parrot. The new orange Parrot is a sport of the popular Breeder Tulip, Orange Beauty. Every garden lover will experience a thrill when he sees this deeply lacinated Tulip change color, from a beautiful orange to a soft interesting bronze. When fully developed these unusual blooms will reach as much as seven to nine inches across. Imagine these large blooms on stems appropriate for cutting. Outstanding in length, this plant will reach 28 inches in height.

The irregularly formed flowers of Parrot Tulips, with their curiously lacinated and attractively fringed petals, are most unusual and come in many rich and varied shades; in some varieties, green markings enhance the beauty of the blooms. Parrot Tulips are entirely distinct, and one of the most interesting plants you can grow. Always arresting, they are especially good for cutting. For the best effect Parrot Tulips should be planted in masses in front of evergreens or shrubs where their form and color show off well. Be one of the first to have Orange Parrot blooming in your garden by ordering yours now.

10 for \$1.80; 25 for \$4.25; 100 for \$15.75

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Parrot Wonder (P)	Orange Parrot (P)
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Clara Butt (D)	Red Emperor (Bot.)
Sunkist (D)	Marshall Haig (C)
Fantasy (P)	Pride of Haarlem (D)

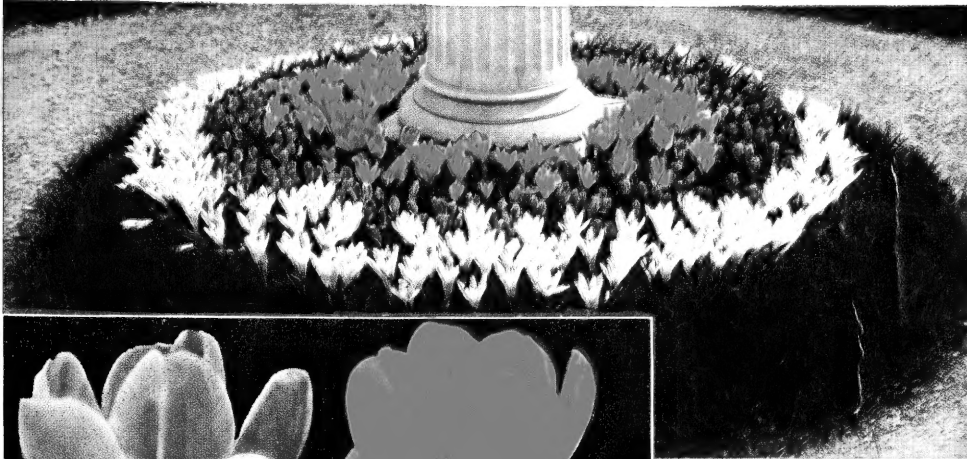
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# GIANT FLOWERING *Crocus* SPRING FLOWERING!

Always a very popular bulb for the spring garden. Their brilliant colors are much appreciated in early spring and they are sometimes referred to as the harbingers of spring. They are easily grown and do well when planted in the lawn or in the foundation plantings near your home. There are three sizes usually imported by dealers from Holland but we are offering only the largest size, which are sure to bloom and increase in number from year to year. As a permanent investment it pays to plant only the best bulbs.



## GIANT YELLOW

Golden yellow. Very free flowering. 10 bulbs for 95c; 25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$8.50.

## QUEEN OF THE BLUES

Dark lilac-blue. One of the best. 10 bulbs for 95c; 25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$8.50.

## PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA

Large, dark blue-purple. One of the finest in its color. 10 bulbs for 95c; 25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$8.50.

## SNOWSTORM

Pure white, large globular flowers, very beautiful. 10 bulbs for 95c; 25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$8.50.

## STRIPED BEAUTY

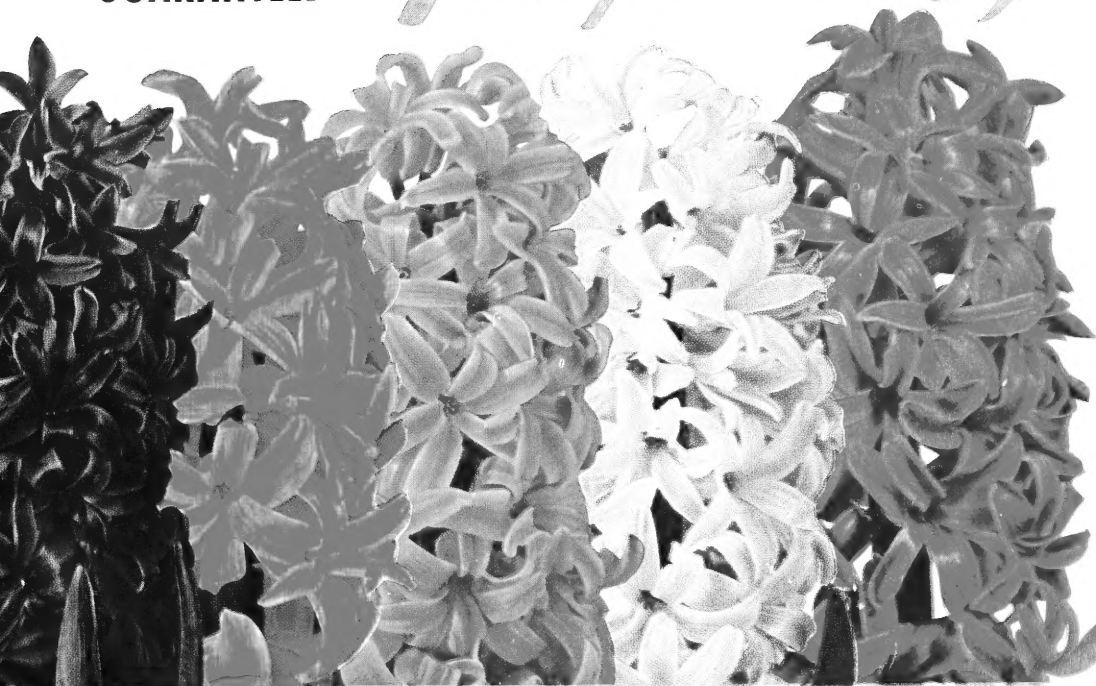
White, penciled blue. 10 bulbs for 95c; 25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$8.50.

## MIXED COLORS OF CROCUS

A beautiful mixture prepared at our nursery of the 5 different colors. 10 bulbs for 85c; 25 for \$1.95; 100 for \$6.95.

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# Fragrant Hyacinths



## GIANT BULBS FOR INDOOR AND OUTDOOR PLANTING

Few flowers are capable of giving more lasting satisfaction than the Hyacinth. Sweet and delicate is their scent and of a nature that everyone enjoys.

### Indoor Planting

They only require water and a supporting medium such as peat, soil or stones. In Hyacinth glasses or other suitable containers, they will grow on water alone.

### Outdoor Planting

Fine large bulbs especially selected for garden use; will bear large, long, large flower spikes with strong fragrance and exquisite fragrance.

### Mixed Garden Varieties All Colors Mixed

10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$6.00;  
100 for \$22.00

**Giant GRAND MAITRE.** Deep lavender with long compact spikes of large bells, on fine strong stems.

**Giant LADY DERBY.** Magnificent clear even rose-pink, with large, compact trusses. One of the best of the pinks.

**Giant PINK PEARL.** Bright rose-pink. A splendid improvement over the old variety Gertrude.

**Giant L'INNOCENCE.** Considered to be the best of the beautiful pure white Hyacinths. Compact spikes with large bells.

**Giant LA VICTOIRE.** Bright carmine-red with large well filled spikes. A splendid lively color.

**Giant PERLE BRILLIANT.** Popular pale blue variety with well formed truss of fine spikes of clear porcelain-blue flowers.

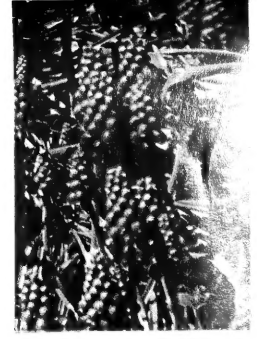
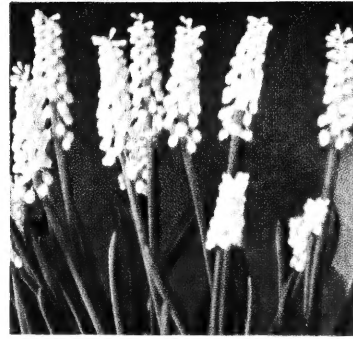
**Giant CITY OF HAARLEM.** The best of all the yellows. Well formed trusses of pale yellow bells.

**Giant KING OF THE BLUES.** Rich dark violet-blue; large trusses and is considered the best of all in its color.

**Any of the Varieties Listed Above: 35c each; 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$7.00; 100 for \$25.00**







**SCILLA CAMPANULATA**

(Above.) Spanish Bluebells or Wood Hyacinths. May-blooming. 15-18 in. stems.  
**BLUE QUEEN.** Bright blue.  
**PEACH BLOSSOM.** Rose-pink.  
**WHITE QUEEN.** White.  
 Any of the 3 varieties:  
 10 for 60c; 100 for \$4.50;  
 1000 for \$40.00.

**SCILLA SIBIRICA**

(Above.) Siberian Squill.  
 (Above.) Bell-like flowers on stems 3 to 4 in.  
**SPRING BEAUTY.** A dark improvement over the type. Numerous flowers of deep rich blue borne on 4- to 5-inch stems.  
 10 for 75c; 100 for \$7.00;  
 1000 for \$60.00

**MUSCARI - GRAPE HYACINTHS**

**MUSCARI, PURE WHITE.** (Above.) Beautiful pure white Grape Hyacinths that look well in the garden and are excellent for cutting.  
 10 for 60c; 100 for \$5.00;  
 1000 for \$45.00

**ARMENIACUM.** (Above, right.) The finest and clearest of all Muscari. Beautiful clear blue flowers on 4- to 5-inch spikes.  
 10 for 60c; 100 for \$5.00;  
 1000 for \$45.00

**DUTCH IRIS (Right)**

For Outdoor Blooming in May  
 Easy to grow. Produces beautiful flowers on long stems.  
**GOLDEN HARVEST.** Rich golden yellow.  
**IMPERATOR.** Rich deep blue.  
**H. C. VAN VLEET.** Rich bright blue.  
**WHITE EXCELSIOR.** Beautiful white.  
 Any of the above varieties: 10 bulbs for 85c; 100 for \$8.00; 1000 for \$65.00.

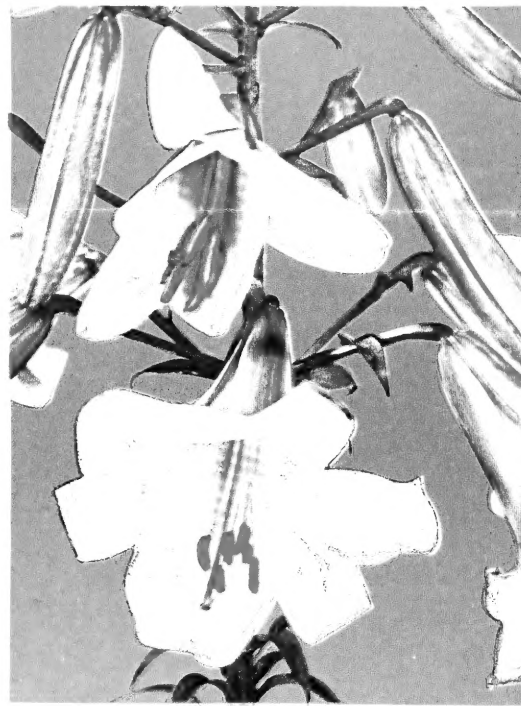


**CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE (Left)**  
 (Glory-of-the-Snow)

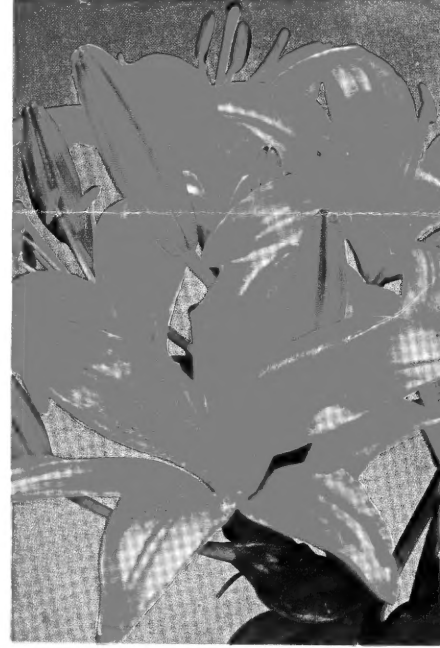
Sky-blue flowers, white in the center. This is considered one of the hardiest and most beautiful of the early-flowering bulbous plants. Flower spikes about 4 inches high, bear 10 to 15 blooms. Most easily cultivated. Blooms about the same time as the Crocuses.  
 10 for 50c; 100 for \$4.00; 1000 for \$35.00



GOLDEN CHALICE HYBRID



OLYMPIA HYBRID (L. Centifolium)



PAGODA



ENCHANTMENT

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Lilies, bursting with vigor, full of rugged health will be the highlight of your garden. They come for every purpose and taste and in all shapes and sizes.

**GOLDEN CHALICE HYBRIDS.** A true breeding strain of richly colored, golden, upright Lilies that are a joy to behold. These Hybrids, masses of golden cups on tall, straight stems, flower in June.  
 65c each; 3 for \$1.75; 12 for \$6.50

**OLYMPIC HYBRIDS (L. centifolium).** The finest, tallest, largest and best proportioned trumpet Lilies yet raised. From pure white to deep ivory, with soft green, greenish brown or wine tints. 5- to 7-ft. stems.  
 65c each; 3 for \$1.75; 12 for \$6.50

**PAGODA.** Tall, dark mahogany colored stem with deepest green, glossy foliage, contrasting strongly with the muted orange, broad petalled flowers. Touches of amber and soft pink on fully opened petals.  
 \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 12 for \$10.00

**ENCHANTMENT.** With many large, cup-shaped, upright flowers of an intense, blaring nasturtium-red, this plant lights up the garden. Long lasting flowers. Late June, early July flowering.  
 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$7.50













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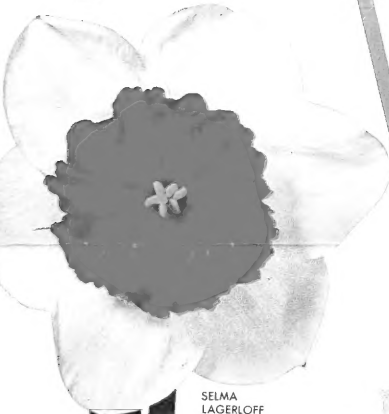
# Daffodils (Narcissi)



MOUNT HOOD



JOHN EVELYN



SELMA LAGERLOFF



GERANIUM



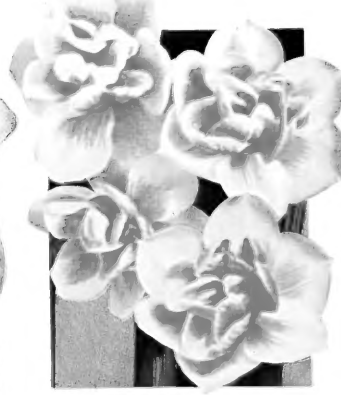
SOLARIO



DAFFODILS FOR NATURALIZING



FRANCISCA DRAKE



CHEERFULNESS

**BEERSHEBA** (Poetaz). A magnificent pure white flower. Large, perfectly flat perianth, trumpet long and beautifully flanged at the mouth. A flower of great size, measuring nearly 5 inches across. Vigorous grower and a grand exhibition variety.  
3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$7.00; 100 for \$25.00

**CHEERFULNESS** (Poetaz). Creamy white perianth and a mass of cream colored petals among which a few short orange petals are intermingled. Delicately fragrant flowers in clusters of 2 or 3 are carried on leafy, 10 to 12 inch stems. A wonderful cut flower.  
3 for 60c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25; 100 for \$12.00

**DICK WELLBAND** (Incomparabilis). One of the finest introductions, a very strong grower and exceptional free flowering. The perianth is pure white and the cup flame orange. Color does not fade but rather intensifies with age. Its great beauty lies in the startling contrast between petals and cup.  
3 for 60c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25; 100 for \$12.00

**FRANCISCA DRAKE** (Incomparabilis). The pure white perianth petals are of unusual substance. The cup is wide and deep and golden yellow at the base, changing gradually to flame orange at the densely fringed edge. Strong growing and very free flowering.  
3 for 70c; 10 for \$1.80; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$15.00

### OUR CHOICE DAFFODIL COLLECTION

It will be our policy to import choice named varieties of Daffodils. We are making a careful selection of the best Giant Trumpets, Poetaz, Bunch Flowering Double Varieties, the popular "Red Cup" varieties, which occur in the large flowering Incomparabilis and Bunch types and will prepare a well balanced mixture at our Nurseries.

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50 Bulbs Choice Daffodil Mixture  
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MOUNT HOOD  
SCARLET ELEGANCE  
SOLARIO  
SELMA LAGERLOFF

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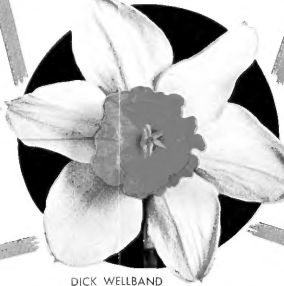
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GROUP F 6 100 Bulbs—20 of each variety  
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DICK WELLBAND

Scarlet Leader  
King Alfred  
Cheerfulness  
Beersheba  
Geranium

### J & P SELECTION OF NEW and RARE DAFFODILS

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DICK WELLBAND  
JOHN EVELYN  
MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE  
FRANCISCA DRAKE  
SEMPER AVANTI

Group F 7 30 Bulbs—5 of each variety  
Value \$5.95. Save 85c. ONLY \$5.10

Group F 8 60 Bulbs—10 of each variety  
Value \$11.90. Save \$1.90. ONLY \$10.00

Group F 9 120 Bulbs—20 of each variety  
Value \$23.80. Save \$4.40. ONLY \$19.40

**GERANIUM** (Poetaz). A perianth of pure white in striking contrast to the bright orange red cup. Four to six of these large, artistic flowers are carried on a single stem. These lovely flowers make excellent bouquets and last exceptionally well in the garden. This variety reaches a height of 16 inches. This is the first time we have offered this variety and we are sure that you will want it for your garden.  
3 for 70c; 10 for \$1.80; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$15.00

**JOHN EVELYN** (Incomparabilis). The pure white perianth opens flat and will reach 1 to 5 inches across. The flat cup reaches nearly 2 inches in diameter, densely fringed, lemon yellow and fluted at the base. Good neck, strong grower, free flowering. One of the greatest Daffodils of the present day and for years to come.  
3 for 60c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25; 100 for \$12.00

**KING ALFRED** (Yellow Trumpets). The most widely planted Daffodil in the world. A king among the fine varieties. Rich lustrous golden yellow throughout. Its French vigorous in habit. One of the earliest to bloom and an excellent variety for cutting and indoor growing. The perianth often measures 1 inch across and the trumpet fully 2 inches across.  
3 for 70c; 10 for \$1.80; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$15.00

**MOUNT HOOD** (Giant Trumpets). This new variety is magnificent. The pure white perianth is overlapping. The large, creamy white trumpet changes to pure white when in full bloom. It is strong in stem and the flower has fine substance. The trumpet is well proportioned making this a very lovely Daffodil. This is the first time we have offered Mount Hood, considered by many to be the most beautiful of the pure white Daffodils.  
3 for \$1.20; 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$20.00

**MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE** (Pink Trumpets). The famous original "Pink Daffodil," beautifully proportioned perianth of ivory white, long graceful trumpet of apricot pink, changing to shell pink at the deeply fringed edge. This Daffodil is not only beautiful but it is long lasting and blooms early.  
3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$25.00

**SCARLET ELEGANCE** (Incomparabilis). This lovely flower is known as the "Star of the West." The deep golden yellow perianth is in striking contrast with the brilliant scarlet cup. This variety not only blooms early but lasts very well in the garden and makes lovely bouquets.  
3 for 60c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25; 100 for \$12.00

**SCARLET LEADER** (Incomparabilis). Perfectly flat creamy white petals with large, deep red crown make a most easily forgotten picture. Claimed by many to be the finest of the Incomparabilis. One of the most sensation flowers. Scarlet Leader is an excellent show flower. It blooms very early and is a fine border.  
3 for 80c; 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$18.00

**SELMA LAGERLOFF** (Incomparabilis). Perianth is a pure white with broad, heavy, overlapping petals. Cup is large and flaring, beautifully ruffled, with yellow inside with wide rim of orange shading to red along the edge. This variety rates among the finest of the new Daffodils.  
3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.30; 25 for \$5.50; 100 for \$20.00

**SEMPER AVANTI** (Incomparabilis). The blooms are very large, flat and overlapping, soft sulphur white perianth. The large and spreading crown is deep orange throughout. The flowers are very strong. The strong vigorous plant is highly recommended.  
3 for 70c; 10 for \$1.80; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$15.00

**SOLARIO** (Incomparabilis). Here is a new Daffodil that has stood the test of countless garden plantings. It has the qualities that make a good flower. The white perianth contrasts sharply with the bright golden trumpet. Medium stems, excellent for cutting. A vigorous grower with an abundance of blooms. Medium height.  
3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.30; 25 for \$5.50; 100 for \$20.00

**THALIA** (Franchus). Thalia is frequently called the Orchid flowered Daffodil. The beautiful pure white flowers are carried 3 to a stem. The recurving petals and the angle of the three trumpets are unlike the conventional short cupped Daffodil. The stem is dark green, round and recumbent. Usually good material for floral arrangements.  
3 for 80c; 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$18.00

**UNSURPASSABLE** (Yellow Trumpets). The new improved sport of the popular Daffodil, King Alfred. Unsurspassable, the largest of the Yellow Trumpets has a deep golden yellow color that stays bright. This immense beauty is borne on long strong stems that make it excellent for cutting. Its size and delightful fragrance make it a very popular variety.  
3 for \$1.20; 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$8.00; 100 for \$30.00

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